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RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT RESPONSE

Sir:

In response to the Official Action of September 15, 2006, Applicants respectfully request that amendments be entered in the application and that the application be reconsidered in light of the amendments and following discussion.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.